

age where I become a little apprehensive when I hear of the costs that are associated with some of the advanced age illnesses. I think it's important that we argue for the rights of the unborn, that we argue for the rights of those who cannot argue for themselves and that we argue for the rights of those who expect us to stand up and speak our convictions regardless of how it impacts upon our own personalized or political popularity or the fate of someone who might, in some other area, depend upon us. I support the...

SENATOR WARNER: One minute.

SENATOR SCHMIT: ..the Lindsay proposal. I would hope that we could get a vote on it and I certainly want to say that I agree that we ought to spend as much time as is necessary and I don't care if it takes all night, I don't care if it takes the rest of the session. Thank you very much.

SENATOR WARNER: Senator Bohlke.

SENATOR BOHLKE: Mr. Speaker, members, as we've discussed a little bit here in the last few minutes about why we're here and who is to share the blame, I hate to go down that road but I do think it's necessary, for the record, to read in the statement in the newspaper as to why we're here. The statement in the newspaper, if we're to believe it, does not really speak to LB 78, but ...it...I'll read the statement where it says: Lindsay said it was important to bring the issue to a vote so that voters know how lawmakers stand on abortion. It provides insight to people on whether or not we keep our jobs, Lindsay said. I think that states a great deal of the reason of truly why we are here and why we're discussing it. That's not...that's not been...it's been alluded to, but here's the statement that says that's exactly why we're here and why we've been spending this amount of time from the perspective of one of the proponents. I yield my...rest of my time to Senator Landis.

SENATOR WARNER: Senator Landis.

SENATOR LANDIS: Senator Warner.

SENATOR WARNER: You have about four minutes.

SENATOR LANDIS: Thank you.